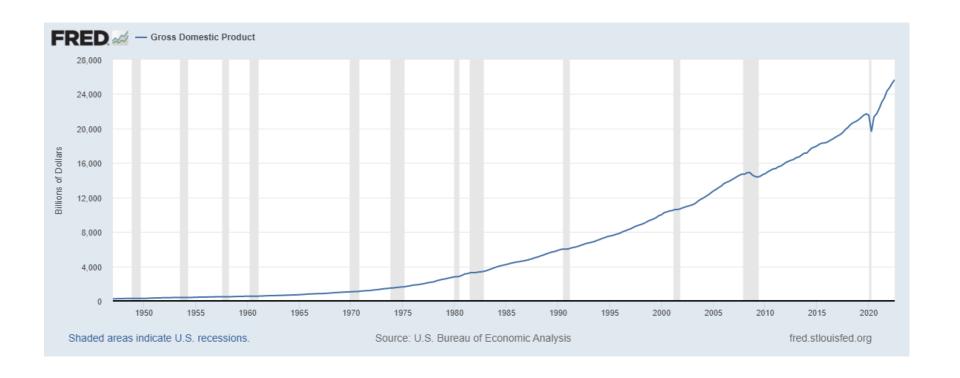
Dave Wallace Research Director



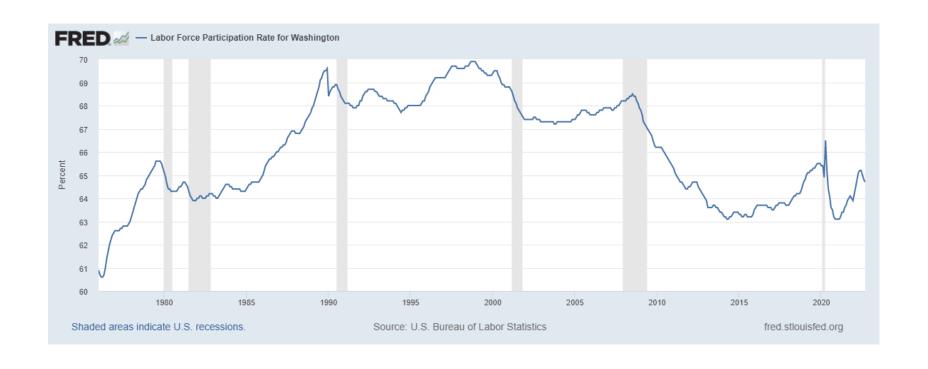


U.S. economy growing... Prices rising



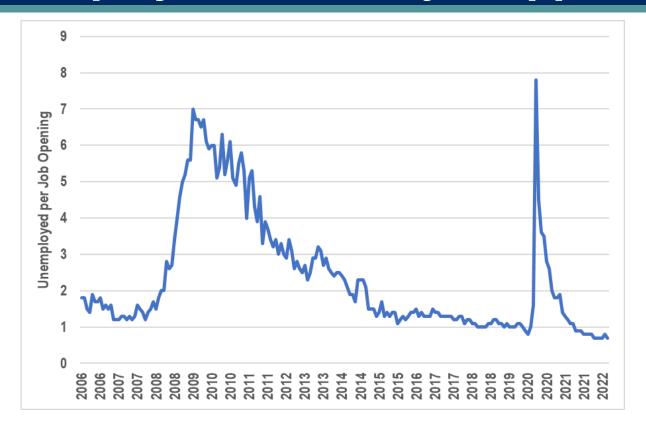


Labor force participation rate trends downward



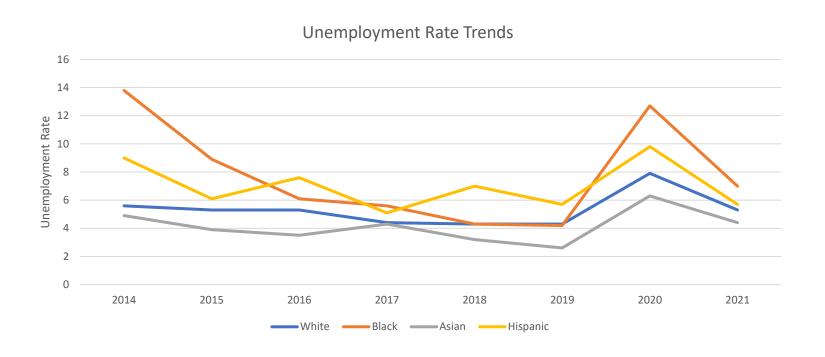


WA employers: too few job applicants



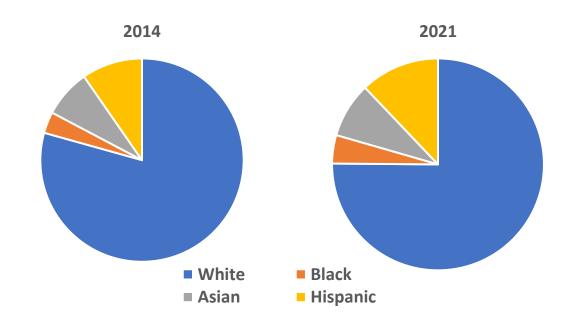


WA unemployment rate trends by race





Labor force: Whites a smaller share, non-whites grow



Source: BLS/Geographic Profiles of Unemployment



Unemployment rate trends by age



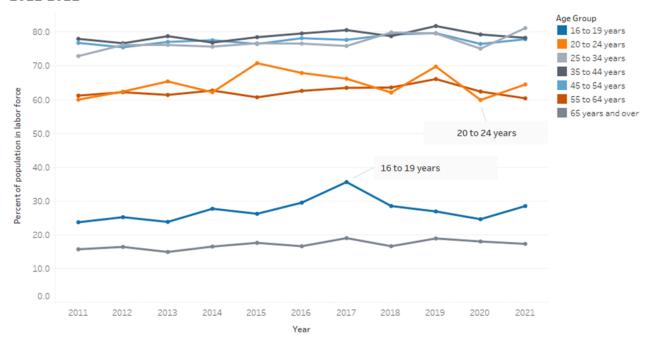
Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics: Expanded State Employment Demographics, 2021

Source: BLS/LAUS



LF participation rate trends by age

Annual average labor force participation rates in Washington, by age group, 2011-2021

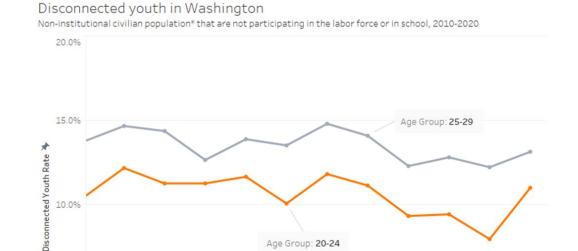


 $Source: U.S.\ Bureau\ of\ Labor\ Statistics,\ Local\ Area\ Unemployment\ Statistics:\ Expanded\ State\ Employment\ Demographics,\ 2021.$

Source: BLS/LAUS



Disconnected Youth by age group



Age Group: 20-24

Year *

Age Group: 16-19

2018

5.0%

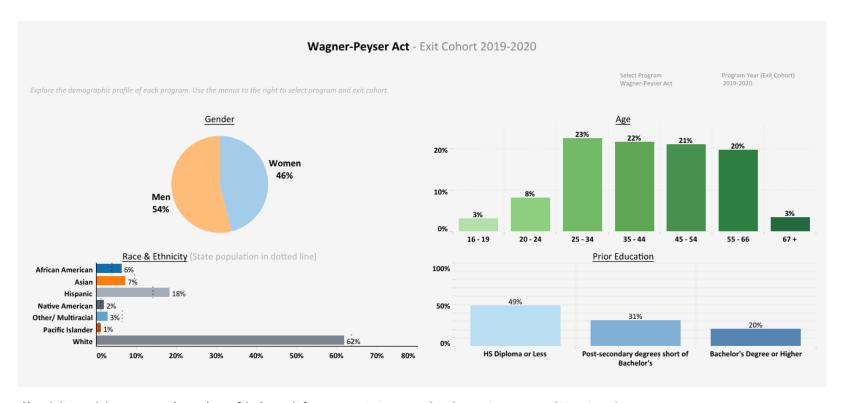
0.0%

2010

2011



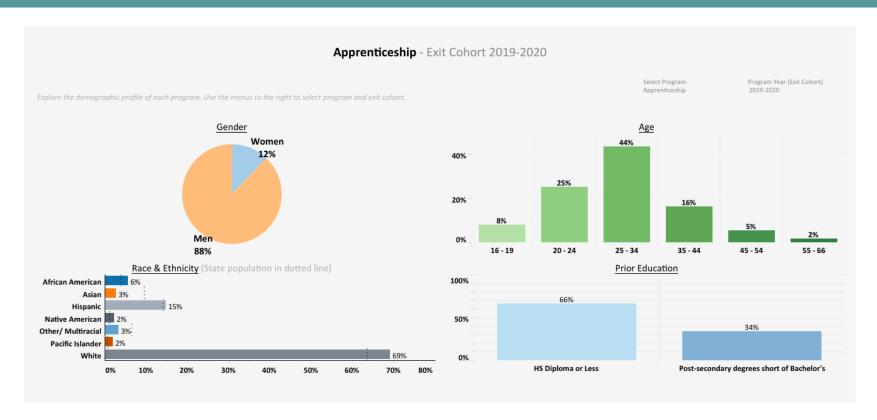
Demographics of specific programs



https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/workforce.training.and.education.coordinating.boar d/viz/WorkforceTrainingResultsfortheDataExplorer2022/WTR



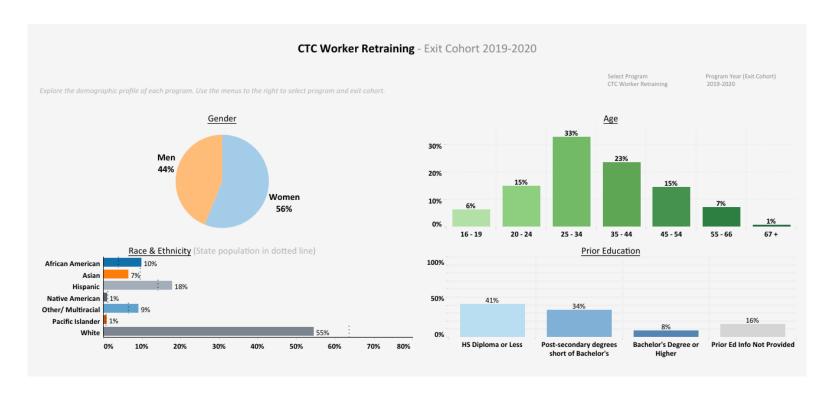
Demographics of specific programs



https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/workforce.training.and.education.coordinating.boar d/viz/WorkforceTrainingResultsfortheDataExplorer2022/WTR



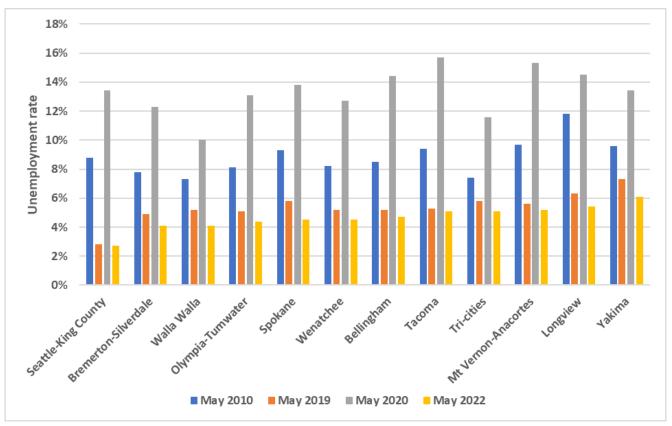
Demographics of specific programs



https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/workforce.training.and.education.coordinating.board/viz/WorkforceTrainingResultsfortheDataExplorer2022/WTR



Regional unemployment trends



Source: Employment Security Department



Most common occupations by area

Occupational Title		Central Puget Sound	
	#	%	
	00.550	000	
Software Developers	98,669	90%	
Retail Salespersons	54,734	55%	
Fast Food and Counter Workers	42,666	45%	
Office Clerks, General	39,324	54%	
Business Operations Specialists, All Other	36,742	70%	
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers	34,348	60%	
Registered Nurses	34,227	56%	
Customer Service Representatives	33,625	62%	
General and Operations Managers	33,575	62%	
Cashiers	31,233	50%	
Home Health and Personal Care Aides	27,375	46%	
Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	24,735	84%	
Waiters and Waitresses	22,913	55%	
Janitors and Cleaners	22,585	49%	
Accountants and Auditors	22,242	67%	
Sales Representatives, Wholesale & Mfg	21,424	63%	
Nursing Assistants	20,360	60%	
Stockers and Order Fillers	19,177	51%	
Management Analysts	19,058	78%	
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	18,942	55%	

Title		Rest of State	
	#	%	
	64.433	0.407	
Farmworkers & Laborers, Crop, Nursery, & Greenhouse	61,123	94%	
Fast Food and Counter Workers	53,022	55%	
Retail Salespersons	44,528	45%	
Office Clerks, General	33,386	46%	
Home Health and Personal Care Aides	32,654	54%	
Cashiers	31,335	50%	
Registered Nurses	26,355	44%	
Janitors and Cleaners	23,222	51%	
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers	23,061	40%	
Teaching Assistants, All Other	22,957	55%	
Customer Service Representatives	20,600	38%	
General and Operations Managers	20,203	38%	
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	19,511	52%	
Waiters and Waitresses	18,419	45%	
Stockers and Order Fillers	18,301	49%	
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	18,279	54%	
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	17,584	52%	
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	15,709	45%	
Business Operations Specialists, All Other	15,424	30%	
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	15,422	46%	



King County		Chelan County	
Skill clusters	Number	Skill clusters	Number
Customer and Client Support Basic Customer Service	49,410	Customer and Client Support Basic Customer Service	505
Information Technology: Microsoft Office and Productivity Tools	35,051	Health Care: Emergency and Intensive Care	281
Administration: Scheduling	31,953	Administration: Scheduling	250
Sales: General Sales	25,146	Administration: General Administrative and Clerical Tasks	214
Business: Project Management	23,427	Sales: General Sales	203
Health Care: Infectious Diseases	22,222	Health Care: Basic Patient Care	199
Information Technology: Software Development Principles	19,546	Information Technology: Microsoft Office and Productivity Tools	199
Administration: General Administrative and Clerical Tasks	19,272	Health Care: Infectious Diseases	192
Finance: Budget Management	18,735	Business: People Management	183
Business: Business Process and Analysis	16,422	Personal Care and Services: Food and Beverage Service	149
Business: People Management	16,149	Education and Training: Teaching	145
Administration: Administrative Support	14,274	Health Care: General Medicine	137
Information Technology: System Design and Implementation	13,281	Human Resources: Occupational Health and Safety	134
Health Care: Basic Patient Care	12,735	Finance: Budget Management	128
Health Care: Emergency and Intensive Care	12,477	Administration: Administrative Support	113
Personal Care and Services: Food and Beverage Service	12,237	Health Care: Medical Support	98
Business: Business Strategy	11,921	Business: Project Management	95
Information Technology: Scripting Languages	10,040	Industry Knowledge: Retail Industry Knowledge	90
Supply Chain and Logistics: Material Handling	9,884	Supply Chain and Logistics: Material Handling	86
Education and Training: Teaching	9,729	Health Care: Surgery	84



Minority-owned businesses by WDA

	Employment at Minority -owned		Share All	Number of Minority -owned		Share All Estab.
Workforce Development Area	Businesses		Empl.	Businesses		
	#	%	-	Count	%	
Olympic	1,444	3.1%	3.6%	185	3.7%	4.2%
Pacific Mountain	1,849	3.9%	5.6%	265	5.3%	6.3%
Northwest Washington	2,206	4.7%	4.8%	189	3.8%	5.8%
Snohomish County	5,812	12.4%	8.3%	415	8.3%	8.8%
Seattle-King County	22,959	48.8%	41.3%	2,329	46.7%	35.9%
Tacoma-Pierce County	4,682	10.0%	9.4%	644	12.9%	9.5%
Southwest Washington	1,827	3.9%	6.2%	256	5.1%	7.7%
North Central	1,105	2.3%	3.4%	128	2.6%	4.1%
South Central Washington	1,082	2.3%	4.0%	135	2.7%	4.1%
Eastern Washington	252	0.5%	2.2%	72	1.4%	2.7%
Benton-Franklin	2,127	4.5%	3.7%	181	3.6%	3.5%
Spokane	1,682	3.6%	6.9%	187	3.8%	6.8%
Statewide	47,027	100.0%	100.0%	4,986	100.0%	100.0%

Source: Dun & Bradstreet, www.dnb.com, July, 2022/Employment Security Department